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App. No. : 09/350,043 )  
Filed : July 8, 1999 )  
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TRANSDERMAL DELIVERY )  
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MOLECULAR WEIGHT )  
COMPOUNDS (as amended) )  
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PETITION TO WITHDRAW APPLICATION FROM ISSUE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.313(c)(2)

Dear Sir:

I am the attorney of record in the above-referenced application and hereby petition that this application be withdrawn from issue under 37 C.F.R. §1.313(c)(2) so that a Request for Continued Examination in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 can be considered. Please see the enclosed copy of the Request for Continued Examination.

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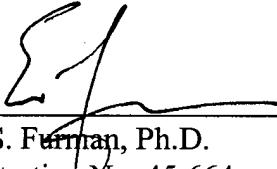
This petition is being filed because Applicant has become aware of relevant prior art only after payment of the issue fee and desires to bring these references before the Examiner. Please see the enclosed Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449, and accompanying references that have been filed with the Request for Continued Examination. The petition fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(h) is included.

Please charge any additional fees that are seen to be necessary or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,

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**PETITION TO WITHDRAW APPLICATION FROM ISSUE ACCOMPANYING A  
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This is a Petition To Withdraw Application From Issue Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)(2) and a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. I am the attorney of record in the above-referenced application and hereby petition to withdraw the application from issue under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)(2) and request continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 so that the Examiner can consider relevant prior art discovered by the Applicant only after payment of the issue fee. A Petition To Withdraw Application From Issue Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)(2) is also enclosed. The present applicant qualifies for small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

1. Submission Required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114:

Please see the enclosed Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-Form 1449 listing references discovered after the payment of the issue fee, which accompany this paper.

2. (X) Enclosed:

(X) Information Disclosure Statement

(X) PTO-Form 1449

(X) Ten (10) references

(X) Petition To Withdraw Application From Issue Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)(2)

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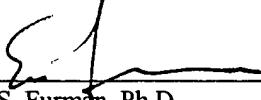
(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge in the amount of \$500 (small entity) to Deposit Account No. 11-1410 for the \$370 fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) and the \$130 fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h).

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